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The Honorable Abraham A. Ribicoff United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Ribicoff:

Thank you for your note of 19 October

1966 forwarding the monograph of

concerning the Vice President serving as
titular head of this Agency.

In reading _______ proposal, it occurred to me that he may not be aware that the Vice President of the United States is one of the statutory members of the National Security Council and that the Central Intelligence Agency is under the National Security Council and is in all ways subject to its direction.

interest and his obvious sincerity are truly appreciated.

Sincerely.

/s/ Richard Helms

Richard Helms Director

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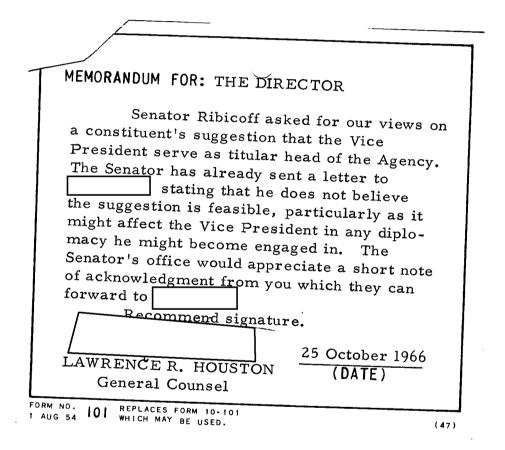
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